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VERMONT NEWS

Two massive pumpkins raised on the Pavilion farm were exhibited at the hotel in Montpelier recently. One of the pumpkins weighed 65 pounds and the other which was not weighed looked to be a little heavier.

The big grindstone, five feet and four inches in diameter, at the East Montpelier stoneshed burst recently while revolving rapidly. It shattered a six-inch beam over head and drove several large pieces through the door and sides of the stoneshed. No one was hurt.

Mrs. Minnie L. Pearson, of Orleans, was a member of the party of 50 "White Ribboners," making up New England's delegation to the convention of the national Woman's Christian Temperance Union to be held in Seattle, Wash., Oct. 9-14. The party left Boston Monday. Mrs. Pearson is president of the Vermont society.

"Bobby," the rabbit cat which disappeared from the Whitcomb residence in Grafton three years ago this month, returned last week. He made his appearance known by meowing loudly at the door. He seemed a little shy, but when he heard a familiar voice call "Bobby" he seemed quite at home, and after a luncheon of milk, sage cheese and doughnuts was very happy. He had a large bunch on one leg, which showed plainly that had been caught in a trap and was somewhat poorer than when he left home, probably having been shifting for himself ever since.

Report on Milk Analyses.

The latest report from the Vermont state laboratory of hygiene, Burlington, on specimens of milk collected by milk inspectors does not show a great many which are dirty or below standard, but there are still some dealers who will have to make an effort to reach the requirements laid down as standard by the board. Milk to conform to the requirements of the board should have total solids of 11.75 per cent, with solids not fat of 8.5 per cent and fat of 3.25 per cent. They should also be physically clean.

In describing the physical condition of standard milk the following adjectives are used: Normal, applying to milk of excellent odor and taste and free from all traces of sediment; passable, applying to milk of good quality, the taste and odor of which are not quite so perfect and which may have slight traces of extraneous matter; barely passable, applying to the very lowest passable quality, inferior in physical condition to the above but not contaminated sufficiently to be classed as illegal.

In describing milk condemned on account of its physical condition, the following adjectives are used: Dirty, applying to milk which on account of careless handling has a bad odor or contains a decided sediment, or both; very dirty, applying to similar but worse conditions; extremely dirty, applying to occasional cases of gross impurity, such as very bad odor, a very great amount of dirty sediment, straws, hairs, etc. While there were not any of the worst cases found in the latest test, there are cases which will need immediate attention.

Boys Admit Stealing Horses.

Two Rutland boys, Harry Spencer and John Simcox, each 21 years old, were arrested by Deputies A. A. Leonard and D. A. Barker charged with horse stealing. The animals were found on a farm south of the city and returned to the owners, P. J. Kelley and Charles B. Maxham, both of Rutland.

The boys have admitted stealing the animals and they told the officers a tale of Wild West life which included a camp in the woods a short distance from Rutland and a trip to the Manchester fair on horseback. The young men met while working in a restaurant and there they stole some canned goods and clothing and established a camp. They found the horses and started on a trip to Pennsylvania but on the way they stayed with some relatives in Manchester and were turned back. They left the horses in a pasture.

Campbell Chosen.

James B. Campbell, attorney, of St. Johnsbury has accepted an appointment as private secretary to Congressman Porter H. Dale at Washington. In addition to his work as secretary Mr. Campbell expects to take some special work in the law school of the George Washington University in Washington. In this appointment St. Johnsbury as

well as Mr. Campbell is honored highly, the position coming to him without solicitation. Mr. Campbell has lived in St. Johnsbury six years, being assistant to the county clerk during that period, and has made a wide and favorable acquaintance with the people of the county. Three years ago he was admitted to the bar and has built up a good practice here.

Mr. Campbell is strictly a self made young man. He was where he received his preparatory education and then went to the University of Vermont where he graduated in 1909. He went to St. Johnsbury soon after graduation and took up the study of law with A. F. Nichols and passed his bar examinations with high honor. Aside from his law and court work Mr. Campbell has been interested in politics and has been a successful speaker in the campaigns of the last four years. He was seriously considered as a candidate for state's attorney last year. He has shown such diligence, tact and ability in his work that his friends confidently expect a very successful career for him in Washington.

Saw Cut off His Nose.

A saw, falling from a 15-foot scaffold Tuesday, cut off the nose of William Dwyer of West Rutland, who was working as a plumber connecting an eavespout, when a fellow workman asked him if he did not smell smoke coming from inside the structure. Dwyer, who was moving a ladder, raised his head. As he did so, the ladder dislodged and fell from the scaffolding and the jagged blade struck him across the face, severing his nose. The tip of the severed organ flew into a barrel of shingle nails. Dwyer calmly picked up his nose and waited for the arrival of Dr. L. A. Heidel, who by means of many stitches, tried to return the nose to its place. It is doubtful if the operation will prove successful.

Stolen Postal Money Orders.

Vermont postmasters have received notice that on the night of October 3rd, the postoffice at Eaton Center, N. H., was entered by burglars and money order forms Nos. 565 to 600, inclusive, were stolen, together with the money order stamp and type. It is reasonable to believe that the stolen money order forms will be filled out by the burglars and attempts made to cash them at stores and hotels.

Drowning Accident Narrowly Averted.

A drowning accident was narrowly averted at Wallingford when Miss Minnie Mylott and Miss Marian Maranville, who had been boating on Otter creek, attempted to fasten a boat to a stake near the office of the American Fork & Hoe Co.'s office. The bank at this point drops sharply to the water, which is about six feet deep.

The girls let go of the rope which was fastened to the boat and in reaching for it Miss Mylott fell overboard.

The cries of both girls were heard by W. A. Davis and G. W. Mason, who were standing on the steps of the company's office. Mr. Davis jumped into the water and rescued Miss Mylott, who, unable to swim, had gone down twice. Both were helped ashore by Mr. Mason, who waded into the creek and assisted them with an oar.

Six Lawyers Admitted to Bar.

In Vermont supreme court at Montpelier Thursday six of the seven candidates, who successfully passed the bar examinations which were conducted Tuesday morning, were admitted to the state bar. Those admitted to practice were as follows: Albert Ayers of Swanton, Ernest S. Jones of Rutland, John H. Stone of Montpelier, Millward C. Telf of Vergennes, Robert R. Twitchell of Bethel, Clarence R. White of Burlington.

Mr. Ayers attended Brigham academy and Michigan Law school; Mr. Jones, Rutland high school and Albany Law school; Mr. Stone, Montpelier seminary, studied in law office of John H. Senter; Mr. Telf, Vergennes high school and Ohio Northern university; Mr. Twitchell, Boston university; Mr. White, Columbia university. Mr. Taft was assistant secretary of the senate during the last legislative session. Walter H. Cleary of Newport passed and was probably be admitted at the January term of court.

Interesting Experience Testing Scales

G. C. Carpenter, of Northfield, state commission of weights and measures, had an interesting experience in New Haven a few days ago.

One of his inspectors went to look over the scales but the merchant refused him the opportunity and boasted of the fact that his scales had never been inspected, that he bought them, and that he was not going to allow anyone to fool with them. The report came to Mr. Carpenter along with statements of past experiences with the same man.

Taking the state's attorney of Addison county with him, Mr. Carpenter went to the place. Stating his business he inspected the scales without trouble and condemned two sets of them, but when he was leaving the merchant asked if the commissioner took the state's attorney with him all of the time. Mr. Carpenter replied that he did on occasions of that kind.

Historical Society Issues Book.

The 1913-1914 proceedings of the Vermont Historical Society have just been issued in a book containing 310 pages, by far the largest ever issued by the society. It contains an article by the Hon. Frank C. Partridge on Redfield Proctor and an address by the Hon. Henry W. Hill, of Buffalo, N. Y., delivered at Fort Cassin September 7, 1914.

Thirty pages of the book are devoted to an account of the regular and special meetings of the society held in 1913 and 1914. The last article in the book covers 144 pages and is called "One Thousand Men," written by Dorman B. E. Kent, librarian of the society.

Decision in Will Case Enriches Town.

The Fayette Potter will case, which was decided in the Vermont supreme court at Montpelier Wednesday, the court sustaining the will, makes the town of Pawlet one of the richest in the state as regards a fund for road building and bridge maintenance. Mr. Potter left the residue of his estate, amounting to some \$70,000, to Pawlet as a highway fund. Accrued interest has brought the sum up to about \$85,000.

There was an attempt to break the will on the part of Florence E. Potter, a relative, on the ground that it was invalid because C. E. Clark, one of the selectmen of the town of Pawlet, was a witness to the will and, therefore, an interested party.

Section Man Killed by Train.

Alfred B. Wheatley, for over 20 years a section man for the Central Vermont railway at Essex Junction, was killed by being run over by the Burlington & Lamotte train near the Maple street crossing as the train was approaching the station. Mr. Wheatley, with other men, was at work cleaning up about the tracks. He started to cross the track on which this train was running and the men called to him but the noise of a passing freight train prevented his hearing. He stepped directly in front of the train and the engine and baggage car passed over him.

Mr. Wheatley was born in Norton, Que., 67 years ago the 11th of the month. With his family he came to Essex Junction about 22 years ago. He is survived by his wife, three daughters, and one son.

A Frank Confession.

"When you got out of college I dare say there was nothing you thought you couldn't do."

"Not quite. I knew I couldn't get a pass in Greek if I had it to do over again."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

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Deep Silence.

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"Yep."

"How is it I never hear you praising it any more?"

"Our cook has bought another make."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Wood Fires.

Do you know that there is a different fragrance, a different manner of burning to each tree, whose parts you bring to the open campfire or your own hearth; that some woods shriek at this second death after the cutting, that others pass with gracious calm and still others give up their dearest reality at the moment of breaking under the fire, like the released spirit of a saint—that was articulated heretofore only in beautiful deeds?—Will Levington Comfort in Craftsman.

Finding an Opening.

"I had a friend who went to South America to find an opening in real estate."

"Did he find one?"

"Plenty of them—volcanoes and earthquakes."—Baltimore American.

That's Different.

"When first he was married he used to boast that his wife had a way of her own."

"Well?"

"Now he complains that she has her own way."—Judge.

Of Course.

"Struck a poor client today," said the lawyer. "All he had to offer by way of a fee was a watch without any works in it."

"I suppose you took the case?"—Judge.

The Born Diplomat.

She (jealously)—I saw you with your eyes glued on that odious Miss Sweetthing. He (enthusiastically)—Did you, my dear? Then you must have observed that I turned my eyes immediately in your direction so that I might reward them with the sight of a really good looking woman.—Richmond Times-Dispatch.

Easily Convinced.

Would Be Contributor (at editor's desk)—Here's a joke, Mr. Editor, that I'll guarantee was never in print before. Editor (after reading it)—Don't doubt your word in the least, sir.—London Tit-Bits.

In the Game.

"I am in the hands of my friends," said the political sidestepper.

"Yes," replied the harsh critic, "and every time your friends look over their hands they seem impatient for a new deal."—Washington Star.

Another Way.

"Why don't you throw away this old junk? It is of no use to any one."

"But that would make me feel wasteful."

"Then give it away and feel charitable."—Exchange.

Lotus-Flower Cigarettes.

In Siam the natives smoke cigarettes made of home-grown tobacco wrapped in dried banana leaves or in the petals of the royal lotus flower. In the latter form they are most delicate, according to Carl C. Hanson, United States consul at Bangkok.

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ingenious Magpies.

The magpie is nothing if not ingenious. He always barricades his bulky nest with thorn branches, so that to plunder it is by no means an easy matter, but when circumstances oblige the "pie" to build in a low bush or hedge, an absence of lofty trees being a marked feature of some northern localities, he not only interlaces his home, but also the entire bush in a most formidable manner. Nor does he stop here. To "make assurance double sure" he fashions a means of exit as well as an entrance to the castle, so that if disturbed he can slip out by his back doorway, as it were.—London Telegraph.

What Boys Are Like.

If a boy is quiet every one wonders what he is up to now, and if he is noisy every one knows and disapproves.

When a boy enters a room in which there are seated the members of the family and his dog he always speaks to the dog first.—Frances L. Garside in American Magazine.

He Weakened.

"Did you speak to father about me, Arthur?"

"Yes; I did, dear, and he agreed with me heartily."

"Then he said I might marry you?"

"Why—er—no. I didn't quite get to the point of asking him that. I just said you were a fine girl."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

A Definition.

Rhetoric Teacher—What is meant by poetic license? Scholar—The permission claimed by the educated to use language such as they would ridicule if used by the uneducated. — Boston Journal.

Aluminum.

Since the Centennial exposition an entirely new industry in mining and metallurgy has been developed through the production of aluminum. No aluminum was produced on a commercial scale in 1876.

Layers.

Knicker—What is society? Bocker—The under dog, the middleman and the man higher up.—New York Sun.

The Way With Bills.

Husband—You must try to keep our bills down. Wife—I do, but they're always running up.

Boring Clam Is Odd.

One of the strangest creatures known to science is the pholas, or boring clam. When still very minute the animal bores into the sandstone ledges at extreme low water, by means of its sharp shell, which is replaced by secretion as it is worn away. It penetrates the rock to a depth of six or eight inches, and hollows out its burrow as it increases in size.

Shaped roughly like a top, it could not leave its rock dwelling even if it wished to do so. For food it depends on the animalcules that float in sea water, which it seizes by its long siphon, or tongue. The pholas is in great demand at the seaside resorts along the Pacific coast, for its meat is very tender and makes excellent soup.—Youth's Companion.

A Diamond Superstition.

In India the superstition obtains that if the famous diamond, the Kohinoor, is worn by a man dire disaster will befall him, while if the wearer be a woman fortune will shine upon her for the rest of her days.

Taking Pains.

"You say she takes pains to conceal the size of her feet? What do you mean?"

"I mean she wears shoes two sizes too small for her. If that isn't taking pains what is?"—Houston Post.

Mauser Rifle

The Mauser rifle was invented by the Mauser brothers, who were born in Wurttemberg, Germany. In 1867 the brothers left Germany and settled in Liege. The Spanish troops in the Spanish-American war were armed with it, and derived great advantage in effective rifle fire over the American volunteer regiments armed with the Springfield 45.

Laughter Analyzed.

Laughter is a sign of high development. The rarer one is to the animal, the less one laughs. The more highly developed we become, the more do we perceive humor. For laughter, it must be remembered, is a sign that an emotion has suddenly been set free. It is like a touch on the trigger of a gun, the gun being self-restraint.

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